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1. On 20 August a conference was held at Shumen attended by Bulgarian army officials and Soviet staff officers arriving by air from Arad, Rumania.
2. The conference reportedly decided on immediate evacuation of Bulgarian forces from the southern Dobrudzha area to an unidentified area. It was also decided to increase and improve military installations to house two unidentified Soviet divisions to arrive in October 1951. The area was not named.
3. The decisions were regarded as a security measure against the "offensive aims" of Greece and Turkey as a result of their forthcoming inclusion in NATO.

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